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General Requirements Overview

Screening Responsibilities: These standards are all required for a complete application and prior to routing for a review, but individually, are not a reason to reject an appointment. The screener must look at all aspects of a project submittal and determine whether the combination of missing items can be added during the appointment time constraints.

"Project stoppers" are corrections that require a substantial redesign.

Applicants are responsible for insuring that their submittal meets this checklist and standards prior to intake. The limited time of intake is not intended for applicants to complete their application materials.

O/S Screener: Responsible for completeness of plans and submittals for building, energy/mechanical reviews, building code items (stories and basements, type of construction, occupancy groups), fees, identifying review locations, O/S IP hours and in coordination with the LU Screener the Project Description.

LU Screener: Responsible for completeness of plans and submittals for Zoning Review including easements, No Protest Agreement, etc. Use per Land Use Code, Land Use review locations, Zoning IP hours, and in coordination with the O/S Screener the Project Description.

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General Requirements

Cover Sheet Completed

- Project Address matches the Address assigned by DPD.
- All portions of Cover Sheet completed including, Contact information, Project Number of Initially Approved Project, Floor Area, Grading, Energy/Mechanical Code Compliance Information etc.

Project matches Addressing Review

- Address on all plan sheets match DPD Project Address.
- Legal Description matches legal description reviewed by Addressing.
- Plot Plan matches Plot Plan reviewed by Addressing.

Plot Plan, Floor Plan and Elevations agree

Verify that the grade lines shown on the elevation match the specific site.

Plans are Microfilmable

- Good print contrast.
- Lettering is a minimum 1/8th inch.
- Plot plan is drafted at a minimum 1/8th inch or 1:10.
- Minimum ¼ inch scale for all other plans

Plans Required

- · Four identical sets of plans with complete coversheets and stapled on left side
- Extra Plot Plan for Water Department
- Extra Plot Plan for Seattle Transportation if Street Improvements are required.

Structural Calculations Included if project is engineered

All Plans and Notes Indicated in Screening Checklist are Included

Forms Completed

- Financial Responsibility Form
- Contact Disclosure Form
- Construction Storm Water Checklist if site disturbance is <5000 sq. feet.
- Equipment Sizing Form
- No Protest Agreement If the Street is not developed with curbs, sidewalk etc.
- Pre-Application Site Inspection Report.
- Target UA Form or Systems Analysis Calculations If selected on Coversheet
- Request to Seattle Public Utilities for Water Availability Form

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Land Use Notes

The following notes and calculations are required to demonstrate compliance with the Land Use Code. Dimensions and documentation on plans should clearly support your calculations. If the reviewer has to do the calculations, rather than spot check them for accuracy, the review will take longer.

Req.	Prov.	
Gen	eral Inf	<u>ormation</u>
		Identify Zoning of property
		Identify Overlays that apply to property
		Identify housing type (i.e. townhouses, ground related, apartments)
Den	sity Cal	<u>lculations</u>
П		Identify lot area
		Identify required minimum lot area per dwelling (i.e. 1/800 sq.ft., 1/1,200 sq.ft.) Calculations for allowed density (i.e. 5,600 sq.ft. lot area/ 800 sq.ft. per unit = 7 units)
		Identify proposed density (i.e. 5 units)
L of (Covera	
H	H	Show calculations of area of all principal and accessory structures Identify allowed lot coverage
H	H	,
H	H	Identify proposed lot coverage
 C4====		Identify exceptions used (i.e. first 4' unenclosed decks),
Stru	cture H	
H	님	Identify maximum structure height allowed
님	\vdash	Identify proposed structure height
		Identify exceptions used (i.e. pitched roof, rooftop features, sloped lot height
		bonus)
Slop	oing lot	height bonus documentation (calculate to nearest inch)
닏		Show calculations for average elevation of low grade wall
닏		Show calculations for average elevation of high grade wall
		Show calculations for difference between average high and average low
_		elevations
Ц		Identify distance between average low point and average high point
		Show calculations for slope on lot (difference in average elevations divided by
		distance between these points)
		Show calculations for additional height allowed (slope of lot divided by .06)
<u>Stru</u>	cture V	<u>Vidth</u>
		Identify allowed structure width
		Show calculations for proposed structure width
		Identify if modulation standards met to increase structure width
	\Box	Identify exceptions used (i.e.)
Stru	cture D	
П		Identify depth of property
Ħ	Ħ	Show calculations for proposed structure(s) depth (Structure depth / Property
		depth)
		Identify allowed structure depth
H	Ħ	Identify exceptions used (i.e. first 4 feet of unenclosed decks)

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Land Use Notes - continued

Setba	<u>acks</u>	
Front		
		Identify required front setback(s)
Ш		Provide calculations if front setback is an average of adjacent structures
Ш		Identify proposed front setback
		Identify exceptions used (i.e. bay windows) and demonstrate code compliance
_		for these features
Rear		
\square		Identify required rear setback
\square	\square	Identify proposed rear setback
		Identify exceptions used and demonstrate code compliance for these features
Side		Identify, denth of let
H	H	Identify depth of lot
\mathbb{H}	\mathbb{H}	Identify depth of structure
H	H	Identify height of structure
H	H	Identify required side setback for each side
Clust	or.	Identify exceptions used and demonstrate code compliance for these features
Clust		Identify width of facing facades
H	H	Identify required setback(s)
H	H	Identify exceptions used and demonstrate code compliance for these features
H	H	Show calculations for required setback
Scree	ening a	and Landscaping
		Calculation of required landscaping (3' x total length of property lines)
Ħ	Ħ	Calculations of proposed landscaped areas
Ħ		Identify percent of ground cover, number of trees, number of shrubs
		Identify number of street trees proposed
		Show location of dumpsters and recycling containers and proposed screening
Open	Space	
		Identify required open space (i.e. 300 sq.ft. per unit, 800 sq.ft., etc.)
		Identify proposed open space
		Show open space calculations
		Identify exceptions used and demonstrate code compliance for these exceptions
<u>Light</u>	and G	
		Identify areas to be screened (i.e. parking areas, recycling areas, interior garage
		lighting, etc.)
Parki	<u>ng and</u>	d access
H	\mathbb{H}	Calculations of required parking
H	\vdash	Identify number of units
H	\vdash	Identify parking factor based on number of units
\vdash	\vdash	Show calculations of average unit size for non-townhouse projects
H	H	Identify number of parking spaces provided Identify size of spaces provided (i.e. 10 spaces at 8' x 16', 3 spaces at 7.14' x 15')
H	片	Identify size of spaces provided (i.e. 10 spaces at 8' x 16', 3 spaces at 7 ½' x 15')
	1 1	Identify exceptions used and demonstrate code compliance

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Architectural Notes

neq.	FIUV.	
<u>Design</u>	<u>Analysis</u>	
		Identify Building Code and Year
		Type of Construction
		Height per Building Code
	同	Number of Stories and Basements
$\overline{\boxtimes}$	Ħ	Area Separation analysis
Ħ	Ħ	Sprinkler analysis
	Ħ	Stairway headroom,.
Ħ	Ħ	Handrail specifications
Ħ	Ħ	Guardrail height, intermediate rail and design strength
Access	sibility Ana	
		Total number of Units
H	H	Number of Type A Units Required
H	H	Number of Type B Units Required
H	H	Type A Units: Number of Studios, 1 bedroom, 2 bedroom, etc.
	H	Type B Units: Number of Studios, 1 bedroom, 2 bedroom, etc.
H	H	Total Number of Parking Spaces
H	H	Number of Barrier Free Parking Spaces Provided
Mochar		ntilation Notes
		Source Specific Fan Sizes (if not specified on floor plans).
	H	Duct work gage between garage and living spaces.
H	H	Whole House Ventilation including type, size, sone rating, and controls,
Energy	Notos	or specify integrated forced air system.
	Notes	Identify Code Edition (Such as Veer)
	H	Identify Code Edition (Such as Year).
H	H	Heated Floor Area (gross floor area minus the walls areas). Area of Exterior Doors.
H	H	
	H	Area of Claulishts
	\vdash	Area of Skylights.
		Glazing/Floor Area % (all glass).
Fire No	tes	Tune of anxiables quatern to be installed
		Type of sprinkler system to be installed
Struct	ural Note	es (Unless specified on details or framing and floor plans)
<u>Design</u>	Loads No	
	\sqcup	Floor Dead Load and Live Load
\sqcup	Ц	Roof Dead Load and Live Load
	Ц	Wind Exposure and Speed
	Ц	Seismic Zone
		Soil Bearing Pressure
		Equivalent fluid Pressure

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Structural Notes - continued

Req.	Prov.	
Founda	tion Note	<u>es</u>
		Concrete Strength and Mix.
		Reinforcing Steel Grade Placement and Protection.
		Anchor bolt size, spacing, and washer/plate size.
Framing	Notes Notes	
		Grade and species of all lumber used on this projects: beams, headers,
		joist, rafters, columns, studs & miscellaneous.
		Sheathing type, grade and index.
		Manufactured Trusses, Type and Manufacturer.
		Nailing and Blocking.
		Handrail specifications
		Guardrail design strength
Plot Pla	an .	
FIOL FIG	all	
General	<u>Informat</u>	<u>tion</u>
		Project site address.
		Scale 1" = 10' or 1/8" = 1'
		Legal description(s) (Include easement legal description and recording
		number).
		Existing and proposed easement location and dimensions (side yard,
		ingress & egress, pedestrian access, etc.).
		King County Assessor's Parcel Number (APN).
	\Box	North arrow.
		Identify and dimension all property lines. Show their bearings.
Street a	nd alley i	<u>nformation</u>
님	님	Names of adjacent streets.
H	\vdash	Street and Alley right-of-way width.
		Street, alley improvement type, and width (asphalt, concrete, gravel, 24'
		wide, or specify "unimproved").
Ш	Ш	Sidewalk type, width, distance from property line(s) or specify "no
		sidewalk".
H	H	Curb height and type (concrete, asphalt, rolled, etc. or specify "no curbs"). Curbcut width and distance from adjacent property lines.
H	H	Label curbcuts as "existing" or "proposed".
H	H	Sidewalk type and width, or specify "no sidewalk".
H	H	Show street trees and identify as "existing" or "proposed"
H	H	Identify all physical restrictions to site access (utility poles, rockeries, street
		trees, Metro bus stops, etc.).
litilities	- Show	existing and proposed
Othities		Sewer mains (sanitary only or combination).
H	片	Storm drains and catch basins.
H	H	Water mains, fire hydrants and water meter.
H	H	Utility poles (light, power, street light, signals, and transit).
Ħ	Ħ	Stormwater disposal system or detention.

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Plot Plan - continued

Req.	Prov.	
Develo	opment Inf	<u>ormation</u>
		Dimension distances from all portions of the building to front, side, and rear property lines.
		Dimension and label all portions of the structure (exterior walls, porches,
		decks, stairs, cantilevers, roof overhangs, chimneys, etc.). Identify accessory structures and dimension distances from other
		structures and property lines. Dimension distances between structures on property. Label any assumed property lines. Label and dimension surface parking space(s), driveways, parking aisles.
		Identify slope of driveway Show location of screening of parking (i.e. Fence, shrubs or identify exceptions being used)
		Label and dimension rockeries, site retaining walls, fences, arbors, trellises, patios, walkways, etc
		Locate and dimension all window wells, fireplaces, chimneys, etc. Caliper and species of exceptional and significant trees.
<u>Caicui</u>	lations and	
		Specify location of rockery / retaining walls. Construction access detail.
<u>Height</u>	<u>t details</u>	
		Identify existing and finished grade at each building corner For pitched roofs – identify elevation at top of plate, top of roof peak(s), (top of roof decks if applicable)
		For flat roofs, - identify elevation at top of roof structure, top of roof decks if applicable
Additi	onal requi	rements - Sloping lot height bonus details
		Locate and identify the average elevation point on high grade wall Locate and identify the average elevation point on low grade wall Show and dimension line between average high point and average low point
		Provide topographic survey with 2 foot contours (minimum) by licensed surveyor
Open :	Space	•
		Label and dimension required open space
Ħ	Ħ	For ground related housing, identify unit the open space serves.
H	H	Indicate location of trees, shrubs, and groundcover.
H	H	Provide open space calculations
l ands	caping	To the open opaco carcalanenc
		Identify common and scientific names of proposed landscaping
Ħ	H	Identify size and quantity of plantings proposed
H	H	Identify soil mix
H	H	Provide key to landscape symbols used

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Floor Plans

Req.	Prov.	
<u>General</u>	<u>Information</u>	
		North arrow.
		Scale ¼" = 1'.
		Label Unit and Type For Accessibility
		Use of each room (basement is not a use).
		If framing is shown on floor plans, identify which floor level framing is
		shown (i.e. "1 st floor plans, 2 nd floor framing").
		Reference call-outs for cross sections and details.
Floor pla	an informa	
		Overall dimensions of Unit.
H	H	Dimension location of all interior walls and columns, from each other and
	Ш	from outside of exterior walls.
		Show area separation walls, unit separation walls, and other fire rated
		walls
H	H	Show occupancy separation and fire rating between garage and units.
	\vdash	Show location of interior and exterior doors and windows.
\vdash	님	Dimension door size and.
	닏	Show direction of all door swings.
		Identify egress window(s), dimension sill height, net open area, clear open
		width, clear open height.
		Dimensions for window sizes on plan or provide schedule. Include height,
		width, type (i.e. slider, casement, awning), U-value (factor) or call out key
		on plan.
		Show and dimension critical ceiling breaks (i.e. sloped ceiling provisions,
		soffits, etc.).
		Show location of all smoke detectors.
		Show location of exhaust fans.
		Attic access location and size.
	\Box	Identify water heater location.
		Show furnace location.
	Ħ	Identify kitchen sink, refrigerator, cooking appliances location.
Ħ	Ħ	Show toilet, bathing, sink location.
Ħ	Ħ	Show decks, porches, landings, etc.
Ħ	Ħ	Identify partial height walls.
Stair info	ormation	rachtiny partial moight walle.
		Locate stairs.
	H	Dimension width and landing size.
H	H	Dimension rise and run.
H	H	Handrail information.
H	H	
H	\vdash	Guardrain height
H	片	Headroom height.
님	님	Winding stair dimensions (if used).
1 1	1 1	Spiral stair dimensions (if used)

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Elevation Views

Req.	Prov.	
<u>General</u>	<u>Informati</u>	<u>on</u>
		Scale 1/4' = 1'
		Show and label north, south, east, and west elevation views.
		Show and dimensions exterior architectural features (garden windows,
		bay windows, etc.).
		Show window wells.
		Indicate slope of pitched roofs.
		Show location of doors and windows.
		Identify existing and finished grade lines.
Ħ	Ħ	Identify the elevation of the existing and finished grade at each building
		corner
		Identify the elevation of each floor
Ħ	Ħ	For pitched roofs – identify elevation at top of plate, top of roof peak(s),
		(top of roof decks if applicable).
		For flat roofs - identify elevation at top of roof structure, top of roof decks if
		applicable and top of parapets.
		Height of yard exceptions (decks, porches, stairs) from existing or finished
		grade, whichever is lower.
		Height of cantilevered portions of structure from grade.
Ħ	Ħ	Height of chimney above structures within 10'.
H	Ħ	Details of open railings on decks if yard or height exceptions used.
		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Founda	ition Pla	ın
General	Informati	on
		North Arrow.
П	Ħ	Scale 1/4" = 1'
Ħ	Ħ	Reference callouts for cross sections and details.
Footing :	and found	dation information
		Overall dimensions
Ħ	Ħ	Location and dimensions of posts from each other.
Ħ	Ħ	Dimension and locate spread footings.
Ħ	Ħ	Dimension continuous footings and foundation walls (width, height) or
		reference detail.
		Specify reinforcement grade, size and spacing.
Ħ	Ħ	Specify thickness of slab and materials below slab.
H	Ħ	Window wells construction information.
Ħ	Ħ	Crawl space vent size and locations.
Ħ	Ħ	Crawl space access (location and size).
Ħ	H	Show location of posts and sizes of posts.
Ħ	Ħ	Locate and identify all steps in foundation or stem walls.
H	H	Show hold-down model #, location, anchor type, size and bolt embedment
		depth.
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Foundation Plan - continued

Req.	Prov.	
Footing	and four	ndation information - continued
		Show all first floor framing (size and span of beams and joists, direction of joists).
		Show all cripple walls.
		Show all shear wall / braced wall panels and indicate construction.
Floor a	nd Roo	of Framing Plans
Floor F	raming	Plans
General	Informat	<u>tion</u>
		North arrow.
		Scale 1/4" = 1'
		Reference call-outs for cross sections and details.
		Identify floor (1 st floor, 2 nd floor, etc.) and framing level.
Framing	informa	<u>ition</u>
		Size and spacing of framing members (i.e. joists, beams).
		Size and span of headers, beams, etc.
		Dimension and size of framing around openings in floors, ceilings, and
		other horizontal diaphragms.
		Locate all bearing walls and supporting floor framing.
		Locate all bearing walls and bearing points from above.
		Label the size and location of all post in walls carrying point loads.
		Locate and identify all structural discontinuities, cantilever, offset bearing
		walls, floor level changes, etc.
		Show hold-downs, or straps location and size.
		Show all ledger connections.
		Identify all shearwalls and/or braced and alternate braced wall panels.
		Provide a shear wall schedule.
Roof F	raming	Plan
<u>General</u>	<u>Informat</u>	
		North arrow.
		Scale 1/4' = 1'
		Reference call outs for cross sections and details.
	informa	
	If u <u>si</u> ng (conventional framing
		Specify ridge beam size and span.
		Show location of collar ties (if used).
		Specify rafter size, spacing, and span.
		Specify header sizes and span.
	If using	pre-manufactured trusses
		Location of girder truss, hip master.
		Specify truss span, spacing, type (common, scissor, gable end, etc.)

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Roof Framing Plan - continued

Req.	Prov.	
Framing	informat	ion - continued
	For all fr	aming types
		Show all bearing members below (walls, beams, headers, etc.) giving size
		and span.
		Specify size of framing around roof openings.
		Indicate pitch of roof(s).
		Location of roof openings (skylights, chimneys, etc.).
		Dimension all eaves.
Buildin	g Section	on
Minimur	n Require	<u>ements</u>
\boxtimes		Min. ½"=1'-0" scale.
		Reference call-outs to construction details.
		Dimension distance from floor to floor.
		Ceiling height dimensions. (When using sloped ceiling provision, provide
		detailed dimensions).
		Detailed dimensions if collar ties used.
\boxtimes		Specify roof pitch / slope.
		Illustrate unusual conditions (lofts, raised floor areas, unusual ceiling
		configurations, etc.).
		Show Location and rating of all horizontal and vertical area and occupancy separations

WATCH FOR:

- 1. Floor plans **must show** the **location** of the section cut and reference the Building Section.
- 2. When multiple conditions are proposed and clarity is critical in order to show code compliance (such as unusual ceiling conditions), multiple building sections or partial sections may be appropriate.
- 3. Detailed information, such as insulation levels or a stair section, may be on the Building Section as long as the proposal is <u>clear</u>.

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Construction Details

Req.	Prov.	Minimum Requirements
General	<u>Informati</u>	<u>on</u>
		Minimum $\frac{1}{4}$ " = 1' (3/4" = 1' or larger is commonly used for construction detail so detail is clearly presented).
Stair De	tail	actam co dictam to crossify procentically.
		Rise and run dimensions (Winders, spirals, or other unusual stairways
		may require a detail plan as well).
\square		Dimension headroom height.
		Handrail information (grasp requirements, extensions, and returns).
	H	Guardrail information (height and spacing of intermediate rails).
	H	Fire protection under stair (if enclosed).
Typical	Wall Sect	tion (extending from roof to footing)
Roof De		tion (extending from roof to footing)
		Dimension eave.
	H	Dimension height of collar tie from ridge and specify connections.
	H	Show gutter, specify type
		Specify roof insulation, R-value, and type.
	H	Show fire protection at eave (if appropriate).
Wall De	tail	chow me protection at days (ii appropriate).
		Size and number of top and bottom plates.
		Stud sizing and spacing.
		Exterior side: Siding, weather protection, structural sheathing (thickness
		and material); Veneer type (brick, stone) thickness, and attachment. Fire
		resistive assembly if appropriate.
\boxtimes		Show interior wall construction including fire rating
	Ħ	Show area separation construction
		Interior side: Insulation R-value and type; wall covering material and
		thickness (usually gypsum wall board).
		Show height and construction of parapets including counter flashing and
		coping materials.
Floor D	etail	3
		Sheathing material and thickness.
$\overline{\square}$	П	Location of framing members.
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Foundation information or reference to separate detail.
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Crawl space heights.
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Vapor barrier material and thickness.
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Perimeter slab and below grade wall insulation and R-value if applicable.
Founda	tion/Base	ment Wall/Retaining Wall Details
		Fully dimension.
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Detail all differing conditions (reference to detail required on foundation
		plan).
		Specify footing depth below grade.
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Specify maximum backfill.
$\overline{\boxtimes}$	「一	Indicate depth of cut in relationship to property line.

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Construction Details - continued

Req.	PIOV.	winimum Requirements
Foundat	ion/Base	ment Wall/Retaining Wall Details (Continued)
\boxtimes		Specify re-bar location, size and spacing.
		Specify sill plate size and material.
		Specify anchor bolt size, spacing, embedment depth and washer size.
		Footing drain location, size (at exterior wall) and its discharge point.
		Spread footing detail(s) - post size, connections to footing, framing
		above.
Shearwa	all Details	
		Show all Shear Wall / Braced Wall Panels locations, show construction
		and assembly details.
		Shearwall schedule
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Sheathing material, thickness.
		Required nail size, spacing.
		Top and bottom plate connection to diaphragm.
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Design capacity.
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Floor to floor transfer details (hold down strap or nailing details).
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Diaphragm to shear wall connections.
Miscella	neous De	
		Rockery / ecoblock cross section.
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Rated wall construction details.
$\overline{\boxtimes}$		Masonry veneer connection detail if not shown on wall details.
		Ledger connection (member size, connection size, spacing) if not
		provided on framing plan.
\bowtie		Greenhouse connection if not included elsewhere in the plans.
		·

WATCH FOR:

- 1. Excavation exceeding 1H:1V from a property line may require a cross-sectional detail. When necessary, bottom of footing elevations may be required on the Foundation Plan.
- 2. If an **elevator** is proposed, a detail section of the elevator shaft is required.
- 3. If a **masonry fireplace** is proposed, a detail section of the fireplace and chimney is required.

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